

1. Many organizations view on-site child care service as a benefit to employees. In your opinion, how beneficial is on-site child care?

	Extremely Beneficial	Beneficial	Somewhat Beneficial	Not Beneficial	No Opinion	Rating Average	Rating Count
	66.0% (258)	22.0% (86)	5.6% (22)	3.6% (14)	2.8% (11)	3.45	391
answered question							391
skipped question							0

2. Using the pull-down menu, indicate the number of CHILDREN you have in each of the following age groups.

Infant

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	84.9% (269)	13.9% (44)	0.9% (3)	0.3% (1)	317

Toddler

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	85.6% (274)	14.1% (45)	0.0% (0)	0.3% (1)	320

Pre-School

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	85.9% (274)	13.2% (42)	0.3% (1)	0.6% (2)	319

Kindergarten

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	93.6% (291)	6.1% (19)	0.0% (0)	0.3% (1)	311

Ages 6-12

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	75.7% (252)	17.4% (58)	5.7% (19)	1.2% (4)	333

answered question	357
skipped question	34

3. Using the pull-down menu, indicate the number of GRANDCHILDREN you have in each of the following age groups.

Infant

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	96.8% (298)	2.6% (8)	0.6% (2)	0.0% (0)	308

Toddler

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	95.1% (292)	3.9% (12)	0.0% (0)	1.0% (3)	307

Pre-School

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	93.2% (288)	6.8% (21)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	309

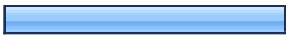



Kindergarten

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	94.7% (287)	4.3% (13)	1.0% (3)	0.0% (0)	303



Ages 6-12

	none	1	2	3+	Response Count
Choose from drop-down menu	92.9% (286)	5.2% (16)	1.3% (4)	0.6% (2)	308
answered question					319
skipped question					72





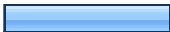
4. To help us think about and plan our future facility capacities, it would be helpful to have some idea about possible future enrollment. Please indicate if you plan to enroll children in the following timeframe. Choose all that apply.

		Response Percent	Response Count
I plan to enroll children in the next 0-3 years		24.2%	93
I plan to enroll children in the next 4-6 years		12.2%	47
I plan to enroll children in the next 7-10 years		5.2%	20
No plans to enroll children		69.0%	265
		Comments	57
answered question			384
skipped question			7




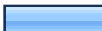




5. Do you currently use child care facilities?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		21.7%	84
No		78.3%	303
		Comments.	42
		answered question	387
		skipped question	4

6. If you responded with "Yes" to the question above, please indicate what type of child care facility you currently use.
Choose all that apply.

		Response Percent	Response Count
LaRC Child Care Center		51.6%	47
Langley AFB Child Care Center		0.0%	0
Other DoD facilities		0.0%	0
Commercial child care facility		28.6%	26
Home care		11.0%	10
Relatives (in your home or their home)		15.4%	14
Other		14.3%	13
		Comments	25
		answered question	91
		skipped question	300

7. If you do not use the LaRC Child Care Center, indicate your reason(s) for choosing another facility. Choose all that apply.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Quality of the facility		6.9%	19
Teacher certification/curriculum		7.2%	20
Location		7.6%	21
Cost		8.3%	23
Operating Hours		2.9%	8
Availability		5.4%	15
Do not have a need for child care		76.2%	211
Other (please include any specific remarks in the "Comments" box)		11.6%	32
		Comments	68
		answered question	277
		skipped question	114

Q4. To help us think about and plan our future facility capacities, it would be helpful to have some idea about possible future enrollment. Please indicate if you plan to enroll children in the following timeframe. Choose all that apply.

1	with in the next 3 years, we anticipate to have 1-2 more children and will use any LaRC child care facilities available at that time.	Feb 11, 2014 9:50 AM
2	Grandchildren one day (hopefully). However if we intend to expand our workforce with the next generation, we need to provide daycare benefits to compensate for gov't salaries.	Feb 11, 2014 8:32 AM
3	both on my children are currently in lcdc	Feb 11, 2014 5:51 AM
4	See question 7.	Feb 10, 2014 12:53 PM
5	Currently my wife stays at home as a full-time mother. Do not currently have plans to change that.	Feb 10, 2014 12:21 PM
6	My grandchildren were enrolled but have since moved on.	Feb 10, 2014 12:01 PM
7	I used the LCDC in the past for one of my grandchildren.	Feb 10, 2014 11:56 AM
8	None at this time, but when my children have children, I might consider it. (I have 2 married children and 1 in college).	Feb 10, 2014 11:36 AM
9	My child stays with my mother who runs an in-home day care. Otherwise, without a doubt my child would be at the NASA day care.	Feb 10, 2014 11:25 AM
10	We are a younger family expecting to produce more offspring in the near future. While the LCDC is an amazing asset to have available, we are not extremely likely to utilize the LCDC while the non NASA parent remains at home with the children.	Feb 10, 2014 11:24 AM
11	My child did not enjoy the summer camp, last year. It was too focused on young children and not at all on 9-12 year olds. I have other plans for summer this year, but if they fall through, it would be nice to know that the program here had improved.	Feb 10, 2014 11:23 AM
12	My children are currently in high school and I hope to not be a grandparent very soon.	Feb 10, 2014 11:20 AM
13	My 3 children are adults now but I did use the LCDC for my oldest when my wife was also working at NASA.	Feb 10, 2014 8:55 AM
14	I plan to enroll a child in fall of 2015, after my currently enrolled child enters school	Feb 7, 2014 6:31 PM
15	Both of my children attended the LCDC. This is my youngest child's last year there.	Feb 7, 2014 1:30 PM

Q4. To help us think about and plan our future facility capacities, it would be helpful to have some idea about possible future enrollment. Please indicate if you plan to enroll children in the following timeframe. Choose all that apply.

16	My children are grown now but all 3 of my children attended LCDC during the late 1990's/early 2000 years.	Feb 6, 2014 5:49 AM
17	Plan to keep infant in LCDC until old enough for Kindergarten.	Feb 4, 2014 7:06 AM
18	We currently do have not plans since my wife stays at home, but if that circumstance were to change I am very glad that LaRC provides these services.	Feb 3, 2014 10:30 AM
19	I currently do not trust the NASA daycare facility with my children	Feb 3, 2014 8:53 AM
20	Expecting a child in June	Feb 3, 2014 7:21 AM
21	I would use the Summer Camp for next ~5-6 yrs.	Feb 3, 2014 7:17 AM
22	I plan to enroll a child within the next 6 to 7 months.	Feb 3, 2014 6:39 AM
23	My children are grown.	Feb 3, 2014 4:25 AM
24	My responses are based on the NASA LCDC's Summer Program. I plan to continue to utilize this program while offered. It is a WONDERFUL program and very convenient for NASA employees. My daughter absolutely loves the program!	Feb 3, 2014 4:24 AM
25	After 1 year at LCDC I plan to enroll my children elsewhere	Feb 2, 2014 5:47 PM
26	No plans to have kids	Feb 2, 2014 1:15 PM
27	I have custody of 2 of my grandchildren ages 4 & 6; the 6 year old attended k-3 and the summer before k-4; she attended k-4 in public school, the 4 year old attends k-4 in public school now, both are eligible for subsidized daycare but LCDC does not meet state requirements otherwise we would place both children in the summer program at LCDC; they both have been to the facility and love it and the staff.	Feb 1, 2014 4:27 PM
28	What about having a Senior Day care or a Doggie day care. A doggie day care whould help when you have to go on travel	Jan 31, 2014 4:03 PM
29	Our two children were enrolled in LCDC from infants through Kindergarten. We also had them enrolled in LCDC Summer Camps till age 9.	Jan 31, 2014 12:47 PM
30	After school and summer	Jan 31, 2014 12:38 PM

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31	However, that could change.	Jan 31, 2014 12:34 PM
32	Plan to have an additional family member in the next few years, which we would be interested in having join the LCDC along with our child currently enrolled.	Jan 31, 2014 12:28 PM
33	I had a child in the NASA LCDC in 1997-1999. When my second child was born, there was not room for him at LCDC so he was at another child care center until we decided to have one parent stay at home with both children. It was extremely beneficial to have an on-site child care facility where I could visit the child during the day and easily drop off/pick up while he was in child care. This is a great perk for young employees.	Jan 31, 2014 12:00 PM
34	Would consider enrolling grandchildren if allowable and if needed in the near future.	Jan 31, 2014 11:27 AM
35	Based on my experience with having my oldest child enrolled at LCDC until Pre-K, I do not feel this facility offers the quality of care, caliber of staff, or academic curriculum.	Jan 31, 2014 10:55 AM
36	currently no children, but plans in the near future	Jan 31, 2014 10:26 AM
37	I will enroll my granddaughter in the summer program for as long as I can. PS - I bet most employees are NOT aware the LCDC offers this.	Jan 31, 2014 10:25 AM
38	All three of my children went through the LCDC - as a nursing mom having on site care was invaluable. We were thrilled with the care the kids received! Great staff!	Jan 31, 2014 10:18 AM
39	If the summer camp is available, will use that	Jan 31, 2014 10:06 AM
40	One infant to begin in Feb 2014, one in pre-school at LCDC.	Jan 31, 2014 9:59 AM
41	Previously used LCDC when my son (now 22 years old) was an infant. Also, I supervise employees who use LCDC now and love it!	Jan 31, 2014 9:57 AM
42	Potentially some grandchildren during that timeframe.	Jan 31, 2014 9:57 AM
43	I support the LCDC because I utilized it with my youngest child. I was GREAT to be able to bring her to work with me. I would like to think that same situation would be available for parents in the future!	Jan 31, 2014 9:57 AM
44	I currently have one child in the LCDC and we plan on having another child, within a year or two, who will also attend the LaRC LCDC.	Jan 31, 2014 9:47 AM

Q4. To help us think about and plan our future facility capacities, it would be helpful to have some idea about possible future enrollment. Please indicate if you plan to enroll children in the following timeframe. Choose all that apply.

45	I no longer have a need for child care. However, both my children attended LCDC and I found it to be a wonderful resource and really helped me feel that I could keep working and do a good job parenting at the same time.	Jan 31, 2014 9:46 AM
46	If I had young children, I would definitely enroll them.	Jan 31, 2014 9:35 AM
47	Getting married soon, and hope to have children within the next few years	Jan 31, 2014 9:35 AM
48	children are college age or adult. I did use the NASA LCDC for both my sons and it was very beneficial to have them close by to my work.	Jan 31, 2014 9:34 AM
49	Potential 6-10 week enrollment of 1-2 children	Jan 31, 2014 9:32 AM
50	My child is past the age of childcare but feel this is very beneficial for LaRC employees.	Jan 31, 2014 9:31 AM
51	I had 2 children go thru the LCDC and I would hate to see LaRC parents not receive the many benefits that are offered.	Jan 31, 2014 9:30 AM
52	I have not used the Child Development facility in years, because my children are now grown. Nevertheless, it goes without saying that the LCDC was a blessing to use.	Jan 31, 2014 9:30 AM
53	Although my children are grown, I see a huge advantage to having on-site day care as many of my direct reports and co-workers use the facility. With the on-site location, time away from work is minimized and what would have been travel time is now spent being productive which creates a more efficient orgnaization.	Jan 31, 2014 9:30 AM
54	children already enrolled in 0-3 years program at LCDC.	Jan 31, 2014 9:28 AM
55	If we were to have more children, I would enroll them in LCDC for the first 2 years	Jan 31, 2014 9:27 AM
56	I would have if my wife worked. It is a wonderful service.	Jan 31, 2014 9:27 AM
57	No kids yet, but plan to have several and wanted to enroll all of them in the daycare here on center. A huge help to our family.	Jan 31, 2014 9:27 AM

Q5. Do you currently use child care facilities?

1	Currently have one 3-year old at LCDC	Feb 11, 2014 9:50 AM
2	Grandchildren one day (hopefully). However if we intend to expand our workforce with the next generation, we need to provide daycare benefits to compensate for gov't salaries.	Feb 11, 2014 8:32 AM
3	Not only is it a benefit to employees, it is reassuring to know that I can walk to see my child anytime and to be able to arrive when he is sick or injured. It is a relief that the employees are knowledgeable and caring to each and every child.	Feb 11, 2014 5:47 AM
4	I used the Langley Child Development Center when my kids were babies through kindergarten. It was invaluable. It helped me get to work efficiently, it gave me peace of mind, it did not disrupt work. It is extremely important.	Feb 11, 2014 5:05 AM
5	My parents are my babysitters after son gets out of school.	Feb 10, 2014 1:25 PM
6	I have no children, but the majority of my coworkers do have them. Many of their children have been enrolled in the LaRC daycare throughout the years and I can remember them always commenting on the convenience!	Feb 10, 2014 1:21 PM
7	I currently only use YMCA child care while exercising (present the whole time). I don't currently pay directly for any child care.	Feb 10, 2014 12:21 PM
8	I used the LCDC summer camp and found them very beneficial when my children were in public school.	Feb 10, 2014 11:36 AM
9	Both of my children stayed at LCDC from 6 weeks until 5 years of age. We also utilized the Summer Camp during summer breaks. LCDC is a fantastic place! I feel very fortunate to have had this care for my children and a great benefit as an employee. No other child care facility around matches up to it. My children are grown now (20 and 25). They have wonderful fond memories of LCDC.	Feb 10, 2014 11:27 AM
10	My child stays with my mother who runs an in-home day care.	Feb 10, 2014 11:25 AM
11	after school and summer only	Feb 10, 2014 11:23 AM
12	One of my children is 21, then other 16, so we do not need the facilities.	Feb 10, 2014 11:22 AM
13	When I needed and used child care facilities I used the NASA child development center. I benefited from having a child care facility at work. My child learned a lot during the four years that she attended the LCDC.	Feb 10, 2014 11:22 AM
14	During summer	Feb 10, 2014 11:20 AM
15	Both of my children attended the LCDC. This is my youngest child's last year there.	Feb 7, 2014 1:30 PM

Q5. Do you currently use child care facilities?

16	I used the child care facilities in the past.	Feb 6, 2014 5:49 AM
17	Do not yet have children.	Feb 5, 2014 3:34 PM
18	My kid went to public school for kindergarten program from LCDC last year	Feb 4, 2014 12:24 PM
19	Summer Camp	Feb 3, 2014 7:17 AM
20	We used the LCDC from May 13 to Feb 2014, however I will no longer be using the LCDC as we have found a daycare that better suits us and the needs of our child.	Feb 2, 2014 5:47 PM
21	Both my grandchildren attend public school currently; we will most likely put them in some type of supervised summer program	Feb 1, 2014 4:27 PM
22	I do use a Pet setter service though	Jan 31, 2014 4:03 PM
23	Just born, not old enough for child care yet.	Jan 31, 2014 2:53 PM
24	not currently but when i did it was great and i would like it to continue.	Jan 31, 2014 1:11 PM
25	Our two children were enrolled in LCDC from infants through Kindergarten. We also had them enrolled in LCDC Summer Camps till age 9.	Jan 31, 2014 12:47 PM
26	Daughter is in Champions program (York County) after school and hope to have her in the LCDC summer camp program this summer.	Jan 31, 2014 12:38 PM
27	Yes! We sincerely appreciate having the convenience and safety of having our child in the current facilities. The leadership has proven to be excellent and the teachers truly convey that they care about our children. I feel that my child is safe, cared for, and happy to be there while we are at work. The hours are reasonable and the teachers truly seem happy to be there doing their jobs with a vested interest in the children!	Jan 31, 2014 12:28 PM
28	I used child care facilities in the past. It is a valuable resource to have a child center co-located to work. This resource reduces time off from work.	Jan 31, 2014 12:04 PM
29	I left the LCDC when my oldest child was 4 in the Pre-K class when The Peninsula Academy opened in October 2009. At which time she did not know how to spell her name, letter recognition, early literacy, etc. I knew I only had a short amount of time to get her into a teaching environment to prepare her for full-time public school kindergarten come the following September.	Jan 31, 2014 10:55 AM

Q5. Do you currently use child care facilities?

30	currently no children, but plans in the near future	Jan 31, 2014 10:26 AM
31	I did at the LCDC for two years and it was wonderful!	Jan 31, 2014 10:25 AM
32	Yes, both for daycare and summer camp	Jan 31, 2014 10:06 AM
33	We ran three children though LCDC. Starting when they were 6 weeks old until kindergarten. Having LCDC was a god sent for my wife and I. With both of us working at NASA LaRC, we always were close and felt comfortable about our childrens safety and environment during the work day.	Jan 31, 2014 9:57 AM
34	I support the LCDC because I utilized it with my youngest child. I was GREAT to be able to bring her to work with me. I would like to think that same situation would be available for parents in the future!	Jan 31, 2014 9:57 AM
35	My children were in DoD centers until they were old enough to be at home alone. This is a vitally important service for parents of young children.	Jan 31, 2014 9:35 AM
36	children are college age or adult	Jan 31, 2014 9:34 AM
37	Both of our kids attended LCDC until they were 3 years old. And, our oldest has attended 3 summer camps. We now use an off-site facility.	Jan 31, 2014 9:34 AM
38	We used LCDC last year	Jan 31, 2014 9:32 AM
39	My kids are grown, but I think on-site childcare is fabulous and enhances the quality of life for people who use it. I hope you're taking into account that we'll be hiring young people, who will be statistically more likely to use the childcare than old fogeys like me.	Jan 31, 2014 9:30 AM
40	summer right now but would use them full time if I had the need	Jan 31, 2014 9:28 AM
41	Not yet.	Jan 31, 2014 9:27 AM
42	If I had to, I would use the child care facilities. My child is now 17 yrs. old.	Jan 31, 2014 9:26 AM

Q6. If you responded with "Yes" to the question above, please indicate what type of child care facility you currently use. Choose all that apply.

1	My wife and I both work on Center and emphatically believe having a childcare resource on site has enabled us both to focus more on our respective jobs and worry less about the well being and safety of our child. Furthermore, having the resource onsite ultimately adds 15-20 minutes of productive time to our work days that we would otherwise spend commuting to an offsite childcare facility.	Feb 11, 2014 9:50 AM
2	Before/After school care with Peninsula Y	Feb 10, 2014 1:29 PM
3	My parents in their home.	Feb 10, 2014 1:25 PM
4	Planning to marry within the next 3 years; If I have children, LaRC would be my main pick.	Feb 10, 2014 12:07 PM
5	Church sponsored child care facility	Feb 10, 2014 12:01 PM
6	None	Feb 10, 2014 11:28 AM
7	Commercial, for after school care. LCDC for summer camp only.	Feb 10, 2014 11:23 AM
8	I have looked at what Hampton has to offer, both with my child that is enrolled and my older child who attended LCDC-- they have the best facilities around and the best staff hands down.	Feb 7, 2014 6:31 PM
9	before/after-school care at daughter's school	Feb 3, 2014 11:10 AM
10	N/A	Feb 3, 2014 10:04 AM
11	However, once my infant gets to two, I will move her to a commercial child care facility part-time.	Feb 3, 2014 8:53 AM
12	School aged child, but use the LCDC for Summer Camp.	Feb 3, 2014 7:17 AM
13	I utilize NASA LCDC's Summer Program.	Feb 3, 2014 4:24 AM
14	We used the LCDC from May 13 to Feb 2014, however I will no longer be using the LCDC as we have found a daycare that better suits us and the needs of our child.	Feb 2, 2014 5:47 PM
15	After school care at my child's school, as well as commercial summer program	Jan 31, 2014 2:57 PM
16	Hope that Summer Camp will be at LCDC. Currently in Champions Program (York County) after school.	Jan 31, 2014 12:38 PM
17	LCDC is where my current child is fully enrolled, with an occasional grandparent that wishes to spend the day (but	Jan 31, 2014 12:28 PM

Q6. If you responded with "Yes" to the question above, please indicate what type of child care facility you currently use. Choose all that apply.

	grandparents are not available in a full time scenario).	
18	The Peninsula Academy (TPA). Located ~2 miles from LaRC. TPA a pre-school compared to LCDC which in my opinion is a child care facility. It does cost more to attend TPA, but the teachers are paid more for their education (most leads have 4-year degrees) and they are required to have one-year contracts for the school year. Which reduces turnover. Something that I experienced alot at LCDC.	Jan 31, 2014 10:55 AM
19	Oy-Vey	Jan 31, 2014 10:34 AM
20	Our family finds the LCDC to be an excellent facility, great care and educational value at reasonable cost. We have used one other childcare facility and LCDC is far superior.	Jan 31, 2014 9:59 AM
21	Love it.	Jan 31, 2014 9:55 AM
22	Gloria Dei Lutheran School after school program.	Jan 31, 2014 9:29 AM
23	before / after school but I need the summer program and may need the child care facility in the future again	Jan 31, 2014 9:28 AM
24	We home school our 11 year old.	Jan 31, 2014 9:27 AM
25	I do not have kids yet, but want to potentially enroll them when I do and when they're of age.	Jan 31, 2014 9:26 AM

Q7. If you do not use the LaRC Child Care Center, indicate your reason(s) for choosing another facility. Choose all that apply.

1	My children are grown, but when they were infants and toddlers, I used LDCD and found it extremely helpful! When you have no relatives in the area, it is comforting to have your children nearby.	Feb 11, 2014 9:58 AM
2	My input is as an advocate. I have seen the benefit of on site child care facilities such as these when I was active duty Navy and had to use those facilities. they tend to be secure, dependable, and high quality.	Feb 11, 2014 6:49 AM
3	LaRC does not give a firm commitment that your child can be enrolled so it is difficult to plan on using them ahead of time. Other facilities will "lock" you in with a deposit or put you on a waiting list and in general give you a better idea that your child can start when you need them to.	Feb 10, 2014 5:08 PM
4	I don't have a need for these services now but I feel they should be continued. I have used the child care facilities at LaRC in the past and couldn't be happier with how things worked out. My son entered kindergarden with skills that most his classmates didn't have and has maintained this advantage throughout elementary and middle school.	Feb 10, 2014 1:45 PM
5	Have been fortunate to have parents watch my son, thereby saving money by not having to use a child care facility.	Feb 10, 2014 1:25 PM
6	I used the LaRC Child Care Center when my children (now in their 20s) were infant through preschool ages, and Camp Lunar when they were in elementary school.	Feb 10, 2014 1:14 PM
7	I am looking for childcare up to twice a week for my 13 month old but was told the LCDC does not offer such opportunities. So within the next few years when such opportunities are available, I hope to be able to enroll my daughter.	Feb 10, 2014 12:53 PM
8	not currently, but in 1 year there will be a need	Feb 10, 2014 12:22 PM
9	My wife is able to stay home with the kids. For now, that is sufficient for us.	Feb 10, 2014 12:21 PM
10	My wife and I live in Norfolk, and when our son was an infant, we were reluctant to bring him through the tunnel every day. However, now that he is a toddler, we are open to considering LaRC Child Care Center.	Feb 10, 2014 12:04 PM
11	Teacher to parent relations is very poor in one particular room all other rooms are great.	Feb 10, 2014 12:01 PM
12	My children are teenagers, however they were taken care of at LCDC as infants/toddlers/pre-schoolers, and I felt fortunate to have a good child-care facility on-center. I hope that current and future children of center employees also have this option available to them in the future.	Feb 10, 2014 11:37 AM
13	N/A	Feb 10, 2014 11:28 AM
14	Curriculum	Feb 10, 2014 11:27 AM

Q7. If you do not use the LaRC Child Care Center, indicate your reason(s) for choosing another facility. Choose all that apply.

15	I love the fact that there is an on-site day care and that it has a great reputation. If something should happen where my mother is unavailable, I would definitely put my child and any future children in the NASA day care.	Feb 10, 2014 11:25 AM
16	My children are older now but it was definitely beneficial to have on-site childcare available when they were younger.	Feb 10, 2014 11:22 AM
17	We never needed to use the LaRC Child Care Center because my wife was able to stay home to take care of our children when they were young. If she had not been able to do so, we would have certainly used the LaRC center. It is a valuable benefit that ought to continue.	Feb 10, 2014 11:22 AM
18	Not impressed with the facilities for the price.	Feb 10, 2014 11:20 AM
19	When I tried to use the facility in 1997, there was a waitlist. I got added when I was 3 months pregnant, and never notified on any openings until my daughter was 9 months old. There is something wrong with having a 1 year waitlist. I found services elsewhere and was settled in with those services, so I felt no need to change services and disrupt my daughters schedule. That's why I never used the onsite facility.	Feb 6, 2014 6:07 AM
20	I do not yet have children, but am planning to have them in the future and would like to use LaRC Child Care Center.	Feb 5, 2014 3:34 PM
21	I telework from another state but use to use the LCCC.	Feb 5, 2014 9:07 AM
22	before/after-school care at daughter's school; no transportation needed	Feb 3, 2014 11:10 AM
23	I pulled my first child out when he was ~1.5 years old. He had crawled out of his understaffed room and was found outside (he was 9 months old at the time). He stayed only because of the promised changes. However, when he was ready to move up to the next class they WOULD NOT guarantee he wouldn't have the same teacher who failed him the first time. Considering the email I got a year(s) later about parents not being informed when a child was emergency evacuated from the facility, I believe my choice to be the correct one.	Feb 3, 2014 8:53 AM
24	Expecting our first child in June	Feb 3, 2014 7:21 AM
25	As a gov't facility, don't believe a child care facility should be offered/maintained.	Feb 3, 2014 3:21 AM
26	The LCDC is in the tough position in that they are unable to replace their caregivers with good, quality teachers that are motivated and enthusiastic about teaching children rather than the caregivers they currently have. I, like the majority of LCDC parents I've spoken to, did not do my research beforehand and chose the LCDC by default because 'it has to be good, everyone else does it.' I was sorely wrong after touring other learning centers and cannot currently recommend the LCDC to my colleagues. I do not think that staff reeducation will suffice in the case of the LCDC; a major overhaul is required.	Feb 2, 2014 5:47 PM

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27	LCDC does not qualify as a subsidized daycare facility according to DSS in Hampton, see comment #4	Feb 1, 2014 4:27 PM
28	No words can describe how beneficial it has been to have my baby located at work. It made the transition to work much easier and even allowed me to continue nursing.	Jan 31, 2014 3:02 PM
29	applies only to summer program. disliked the facility last time i checked the program out, as well as the summer activities.	Jan 31, 2014 2:57 PM
30	I wish my child were still there full time! Too old.	Jan 31, 2014 12:38 PM
31	Although I currently use LCDC, I have heard via word of mouth that reasons that others did not or do not use the facility include: the formality of the teachers demeanor in the classes, "babysitting versus more of a focus on teaching, as in school setting," flexibility with providing own resources (such as home cooked food or cloth diapers), lack of extra special activities that they believe sets other child care facilities apart (such as baby yoga, baby gardening, etc.), perception that they will not be able to get in (contractor versus civil servant preference on a waiting list) and, frankly, I believe as simple as they talked to coworkers that had children attend in the long past whom did not recommend on center care for various reasons and although changes have been made they do not even check it out for themselves to see if it meets their current needs.	Jan 31, 2014 12:28 PM
32	I had a child in the NASA LCDC in 1997-1999. When my second child was born, there was not room for him at LCDC so he was at another child care center until we decided to have one parent stay at home with both children. Having to use two different child care facilities was difficult and resulted in the children being exposed to two germ pools instead of just one. Every effort should be made to ensure availability of a slot for siblings for this reason.	Jan 31, 2014 12:00 PM
33	I have previously used the child care center for my now 5 year old but the higher cost drove me to look elsewhere. I would consider enrolling my infant if the cost wasn't so high.	Jan 31, 2014 11:16 AM
34	The standards for early education are increasing. However, LCDC is continuing to offer to same level of service they have for the past 30 years. I believe LCDC needs to acquire a new vision, new administration, and a trained quality staff to meet future demand. If not, LCDC should not offer child care services.	Jan 31, 2014 10:55 AM
35	but I will in the next couple of years.	Jan 31, 2014 10:50 AM
36	I checked into childcare, and would like to use the facilities, but currently live 50 minutes away. My wife would not be able to readily get our child if something happened to me.	Jan 31, 2014 10:41 AM
37	The summer programs that were offered were reduced to the point that we didn't feel our children were being adequately engaged. We Switched them to Gloria Dei for school and they stay there for childcare now. There is not means of shuttling them to LCDC for after school care and the summer programs for the children are very engaging. They also get	Jan 31, 2014 10:34 AM

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	to maintain continuity with their school friends over the summer.	
38	Hotcha ! people who need childcare to support their job probably should have Child Care Center available	Jan 31, 2014 10:34 AM
39	I do not have any children.	Jan 31, 2014 10:34 AM
40	When my kids were younger, we did not use it because of cost and availability. But now the kids are in school so we do not have a need for child care	Jan 31, 2014 10:33 AM
41	Teacher to Parent relationship in one particular room was very poor, all the rest were great.	Jan 31, 2014 10:19 AM
42	grandma takes care of my kids	Jan 31, 2014 10:17 AM
43	Wife works from home.	Jan 31, 2014 10:16 AM
44	I didn't use the child care center when my children were growing up, but I was glad it was there if i ever needed it.	Jan 31, 2014 10:12 AM
45	soon relocating to Hampton	Jan 31, 2014 10:09 AM
46	Wife is stay-at-home mom. We did use LCDC while she was working and we had only 1 child.	Jan 31, 2014 10:09 AM
47	I live in VA Beach and telework weekly so I need child care in my location. However, LARC CCC is my back up in case my nanny is sick or otherwise unable to care for my children	Jan 31, 2014 10:04 AM
48	LCDC is a great asset for the young families that work here. Please make sure that continues for the future generations.	Jan 31, 2014 9:57 AM
49	I did use the LCDC when my child was of age and I would use it again if I become pregent in the furture. This is a needed facility for our Base. It should be available to all on the base (contractors and CS)	Jan 31, 2014 9:55 AM
50	I did not know about LaRC Child Care Center when I accepted a job at Langley and made other arraignments before starting work.	Jan 31, 2014 9:49 AM
51	I think the facility, location, cost, operating hours and availability are great. What i didn't like was the lack of classroom control by the teachers at AM drop-off and PM pickup; lack of classroom direction and teacher interaction with kids outside of curriculum time; and poor communication by management and teachers. All 3 of my children went to LCDC starting in 2006. I began to see a decline in quality of services by 2009 and finally pulled my remaining two toddlers in the fall of 2011. I saw a huge difference in my children's attitude at the new childcare, especially at drop-off. While I hated paying a higher price it was worth it after seeing how my kids attitude and dispositions changed. It was also a pain trying	Jan 31, 2014 9:48 AM

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	to arrange a badge for my husband to help with the kids. It was also worth paying more to not have to deal with this. The summer program has also declined and I will never use that again. This past summer I had one child enrolled where it appeared that they mainly watched TV (in one day I witnessed the TV on at AM drop-off, at lunch time and at PM pick-up....I decided that day never again.) I do believe that it's awesome to have a childcare at the Center and I hope that LCDC can turn things around.	
52	I tried to enroll my son in 2012 but was met with very unprofessional and unorganized staff. I filled out and submitted the initial form to enroll my child 6 months prior to his birth (October 2011) and was told to call back when he was born, which I did, in late March. Later, in April of 2012, my husband and I took a tour of the facility and as far as I knew, I did everything I was supposed to do and there was space for him at the time of the tour. However, a month later, I was "bumped" without any notice (i.e. the facility was no longer accepting infants) and I would not have known this information, if I hadn't called on May 1st to determine my son's start date in June. Due to this, my husband and I had to search for child care elsewhere at the last minute. It was a rather unpleasant situation and there was little empathy from the Director. She was able to secure room for us, but it would not be until the end of June and I needed to return to work in mid-May. On another note, when I was breast-feeding, I came to the LCDC to pump and was personally led by the Director Kim to a bathroom on one occasion and then a room with a large, uncovered glass window on another occasion, which are both against Federal regulations. I have not had good experiences with the LCDC and could not see myself utilizing this service without a management change.	Jan 31, 2014 9:46 AM
53	Yet.	Jan 31, 2014 9:45 AM
54	My children take care of my 8 grandchildren	Jan 31, 2014 9:37 AM
55	Though I don't personally use the Child Care Facility, I have co-workers who do. They relate that using on-center child care is an absolute plus that helps them better manage not only their family lives, but their work situation also. I believe this is an invaluable service to the Center that far out-weighs all others offered.	Jan 31, 2014 9:36 AM
56	When I needed child care the Center was full and we could not get in.	Jan 31, 2014 9:36 AM
57	No need at child care at this point but in the future	Jan 31, 2014 9:36 AM
58	If LCDC offered more activities for the kids, especially in summer camp, we would consider coming back. However, with the reduced budgets, the amount of field trips has been dramatically scaled back, swimming has been cut, and on-Center activities have been cut. Our kids were not having any fun.	Jan 31, 2014 9:34 AM
59	The mother is at home now, but this will likely change in the next 6 months to 1 year.	Jan 31, 2014 9:33 AM
60	Faith based organization	Jan 31, 2014 9:32 AM

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61	Do not currently have children	Jan 31, 2014 9:30 AM
62	Please find another way to cut the budget!!	Jan 31, 2014 9:30 AM
63	I have no current plans to enroll my children, but if the quality of the facility and teacher certification/curriculum increased, I would consider doing so as it would be extremely convenient to have my children at day care on the center.	Jan 31, 2014 9:29 AM
64	son goes right in after school...however, I did use LCDC for many years when my sons were young, I started at 6 weeks.	Jan 31, 2014 9:29 AM
65	None of these reasons are unique to the LaRC child care center. With regard to location, the issue is just that the center is located in the opposite direction from my wife's work, meaning that it would be a ton of extra travel each time she has to pick up or drop off the kids. Cost is a factor with all child care centers, not just LaRC.	Jan 31, 2014 9:27 AM
66	Don't have a current need now, but will in a couple of years. A great asset that I would be highly disappointed if lost.	Jan 31, 2014 9:27 AM
67	I PLAN ENROLLING MY 2 YEAR OLD NEXT WEEK.	Jan 31, 2014 9:26 AM
68	I don't have any children now, but plan to have children in the next few years	Jan 31, 2014 9:26 AM